Report from the Field

The Archive of Workplace Writing Experiences: Using the Voices of Real-World Writers as a Bridge Between the Classroom and the Conference Room

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This report from the field explores the Archive of Workplace Writing Experiences we developed to facilitate transfer of writing skills from the university to the professions. This digital repository catalogues and makes available interviews with workplace writers in a variety of positions and fields. It also provides teachers with lesson plans, assignments, and guided activities created in response to the interviews and intended to give students a more authentic understanding of workplace writing than might otherwise be gained in the classroom.